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In re Appln. of: Gerald R. Stanley

Appln. No.: 10/626,149

Filed: July 24, 2003

For: SERIES INTERLEAVED BOOST
CONVERTER POWER FACTOR
CORRECTING POWER SUPPLY

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The references now cited are the following:

NON-PATENT PUBLICATIONS:

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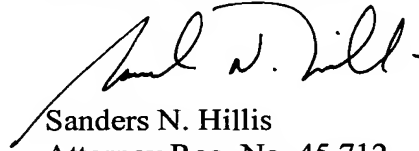
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